GENERAL FUND SUMMARY

	Actual FY 2002-03	Adopted FY 2003-04	Estimated FY 2003-04	Adopted FY 2004-05		Change
Revenues						
General Property Taxes	\$ 77,701,968	\$ 79,132,755	\$ 79,490,457	\$	88,276,838	11.6%
Other Local Taxes	29,394,127	31,580,113	32,208,155		32,802,890	3.9%
State-Shared Revenues	15,704,184	15,547,527	15,235,973		15,895,311	2.2%
Licenses and Permits	7,224,572	6,977,649	7,305,671		7,771,845	11.4%
Fines and Forfeitures	9,065	665,000	384,000		450,000	-32.3%
Investment/Rental Income	1,410,606	1,289,219	1,222,600		1,448,440	12.4%
Charges for Current Services	8,657,691	9,233,437	8,477,369		9,446,571	2.3%
Intragovernmental Services	5,710,134	735,000	828,000		788,800	7.3%
Other Revenues	19,296,730	2,559,012	600,003		4,350,900	70.0%
Transfer from Other Funds	1,354,409	7,044,372	6,799,198		7,438,307	5.6%
Approp From Fund Balance		-	676,471		855,303	-
Total Revenues	\$ 166,463,486	\$ 154,764,084	\$ 153,227,897	\$	169,525,205	9.5%
Appropriations						
Personal Services	\$ 83,237,504	\$ 87,850,951	\$ 86,649,244	\$	96,443,059	9.8%
Operating	34,853,173		33,844,260	Ψ	36,189,826	3.6%
Capital Outlay	3,515,800		4,051,748		5,697,793	24.8%
Debt Service	34,105,173		18,560,663		19,669,447	3.0%
Other	-	-	-		400,000	-
Transfers to Other Funds	10,751,836	8,309,615	10,121,982		11,125,080	33.9%
Total Appropriations	\$ 166,463,486	\$ 154,764,084	\$ 153,227,897	\$	169,525,205	9.5%
Appropriations by Function						
Governance	\$ 5,453,346	\$ 6,437,961	\$ 6,292,287	\$	6,958,612	8.1%
Public Protection	52,490,089		55,546,384	*	59,872,908	8.9%
Community Service/Development	44,032,051	43,496,166	42,162,581		44,606,684	2.6%
Administrative and Support Services	24,149,058	24,896,687	24,492,395		28,756,572	15.5%
Non-assigned	40,338,942		24,734,250		29,330,429	17.5%
Total Appropriations	\$ 166,463,486	\$ 154,764,084	\$ 153,227,897	\$	169,525,205	9.5%

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the City. It is used to account for all financial resources except those to be accounted for in another fund.

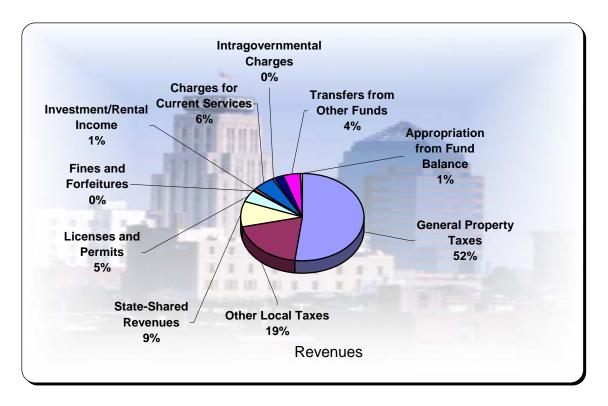
Revenues in the general fund fall into two categories:

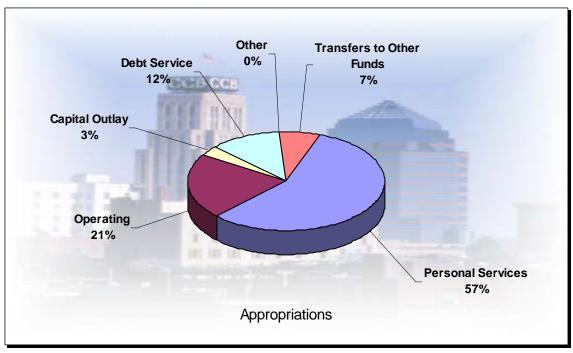
- **Discretionary** Revenues that are not derived from or dependent upon direct activity from a single department. Examples include property tax and state reimbursements.
- **Program** Those revenues that are derived from or dependent upon direct activity from a single department. Examples include user fees, building inspection permits, or grants for a specific activity.

General Fund – Discretionary Revenues

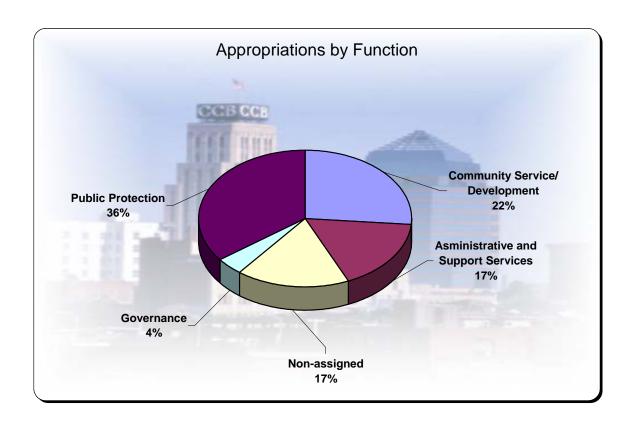
	Actual FY 2002-03		Adopted FY 2003-04		Estimated FY 2003-04		Adopted FY 2004-05		Change
General Property Taxes									
Current Levy	\$	75,157,440	\$	76,582,810	\$	76,942,912	\$	85,726,893	11.9%
Prior Years Levy		1,959,604		2,134,945		2,134,945		2,134,945	0.0%
Interest & Penalties		584,924		415,000		412,600		415,000	0.0%
Subtotal	\$	77,701,968	\$	79,132,755	\$	79,490,457	\$	88,276,838	11.6%
Other Local Taxes									
Local Option Sales Tax	\$	27,866,867	\$	30,180,113	\$	30,835,655	\$	31,387,000	4.0%
Hotel/Motel Occupancy Tax		1,344,327		1,400,000		1,372,500		1,415,890	1.1%
Subtotal	\$	29,211,194	\$	31,580,113	\$	32,208,155	\$	32,802,890	3.9%
Licenses and Permits									
Cable T V Franchise Fee	\$	1,533,682	\$	1,629,724	\$	1,591,044	\$	1,607,562	-1.4%
Business & Professional Licenses		2,116,817		2,147,953		2,191,680		2,488,389	15.8%
Subtotal	\$	3,650,499	\$	3,777,677	\$	3,782,724	\$	4,095,951	8.4%
Intergovernmental Revenues									
Intangibles Tax Reimbursement	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	-
Utility Franchise Tax		7,714,802		8,004,116		7,981,845		8,181,391	2.2%
Gasoline Tax (Powell Bill)		5,576,978		5,145,619		5,229,897		5,523,096	7.3%
Beer & Wine Tax		809,047		781,346		781,346		795,019	1.7%
Alcoholic Beverage Control		46,869		45,000		45,000		47,000	4.4%
Inventory Tax Credit		-		-		-		-	-
Payments In Lieu Of Taxes		-		80,000		101,439		100,000	25.0%
Subtotal	\$	14,147,696	\$	14,056,081	\$	14,139,527	\$	14,646,506	4.2%
Investment and Rental Income									
Investment Income	\$	960,752	\$	824,244	\$	1,040,000	\$	1,265,440	53.5%
Interest On Assessments		-		-		-		-	-
R-O-W Surcharge		-		-		-		-	-
Municipal Buildings		198,824		453,400		156,000		156,000	-65.6%
Subtotal	\$	1,159,576	\$	1,277,644	\$	1,196,000	\$	1,421,440	11.3%
Other Revenue									
Sale Of Land	\$	409,718	\$	930,000	\$	245,400	\$	1,038,350	11.7%
Sale Of Surplus Equipment		159,670		200,000		260,000		233,500	16.8%
Credit Union Overhead		-		-		-		-	-
Street Assessments		283,498		75,000		-		75,000	0.0%
Sidewalk Assessments		6,545		15,000				15,000	0.0%
Subtotal	\$	859,431	\$	1,220,000	\$	505,400	\$	1,361,850	11.6%
Appropriations From Fund Balance	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	-
Total Revenues	\$	125,870,933	\$	129,824,270	\$	130,816,863	\$	141,243,625	8.8%

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FUND SUMMARIES

This section provides summaries of the revenues and appropriations for each of the operating funds included in the FY 2004-05 Budget. In addition, detailed information is provided on revenue sources and non-departmental appropriations.

- **General Fund** the general operating fund of the City. It is used to account for all financial resources except those to be accounted for in another fund.
- Enterprise Funds are established to account for revenues resulting from charges for services provided to the general public and the related costs of such services. Although General Statutes and generally accepted accounting principles do not require an annual balanced budget for Enterprise Funds, the City does adopt balanced budgets for these funds.

These funds include:

Water and Sewer Fund

Water and Sewer Capital Facilities Fees Fund

Solid Waste Disposal Fund

Storm Water Management Fund

Transit Fund

Parking Facilities Fund

Civic Center Fund

Ballpark Fund

Capital Facilities Fee Fund

Fiduciary Funds – are used to account for assets held by the City in a fiduciary capacity as trustee or agent.
These funds include:

Law Enforcement Officers' Separation Allowance Fund

Transit Trust Fund

 Special Revenue Funds – are used to record the financial activities related to federal grants from other agencies. Please refer to sections VIII (Community Services and Development) and IX (Administrative and Support Services) for information on Special Revenue Funds.

These funds include:

Community Development Fund (Community Development Block Grants, HOME Grants, Lead Based Paint Grants)

Downtown Revitalization Fund

Employment and Training Grants

9-1-1 Surcharge Fund

Downtown Business Assistance Fund

 Capital Projects Funds – are used to account for general capital projects, including major municipal buildings, public improvement projects, major repairs, and capital equipment needs.

These funds include:

General Capital Projects Fund

Impact Fee Fund

■ Internal Service Funds – are used to account for the financing of goods and services provided by one department to others within the government on a cost-reimbursement basis. Please refer to sections IV (Budget Summaries) and IX (Administrative & Support Services) for information on Internal Service Funds. These funds include:

Risk Reduction Fund